

THE TRAGEDY
OF THE CROW'S
NEST PASS

The train robbery in the Crow's Nest Pass has developed into a tragedy the like of which has never before appeared in the annals of provincial crime. So far the record is that four men are dead, one is wounded and in company with another one of the fugitives in the wilds of the Crow's Nest Pass. The first news of the tragedy reached Macleod on Saturday evening when word came that the robbers had been located in Bellevue and in the attempt to arrest them two policemen had been killed, also one of the bandits had been shot down while another had escaped badly wounded. Then the details of the fight began to come in, and it became known that the two policemen who so tragically lost their lives were Corp. Usher, a young man of 25 years of age and a member of the R.C.M.P. at Macleod, and Frederick W. E. Bailey, a member of the Alberta Provincial Police and the son of Mark Bailey, of Ewelme.

The story of the shooting is told by an eye witness in the Calgary Herald:

BELLEVUE, Aug. 9.—"It will be a slow job from now on," declared Inspector McDonald of Macleod, who is in charge of the mounted police tracking the bandit murderer pending the return of Superintendent Pennyfather from Lethbridge. The writer accompanied the inspector along the blood trail of Bassoff which lead from the scene of the cafe tragedy toward the gully on the eastern side of the Frank slide. It is presumed that Bassoff was severely wounded in the battle for he was bleeding profusely as he fled toward the hills. Splashes of blood on the jagged rocks allowed the police to follow in his wake. According to Inspector McDonald, it is thought that Bassoff is being hidden by foreign friends or being supplied with food in his hiding place in the mountains.

Keep Sharp Lookout

On every pinnacle police officers with field glasses are keeping a constant lookout and investigating every suspicious movement. Every automobile is halted and searched, while the police are just now returning after a search through the foreign section that proved fruitless. However, the search among the houses of the foreign element will be continued throughout the day and to-night. Further details of the shooting Sunday night of Nick Kistruck disclose the fact that his partner fired the fatal shot. With Constable Hidson of Warner, Kistruck was carrying on a search of an empty house. Kistruck went into the door of the house while Hidson remained to hear the freight train approaching and in his hurry jumped through the back window and started running. Constable Hidson, in the dark, failed to recognize his partner and when Kistruck did not heed the command to halt, Hidson fired.

A Valuable Man

The deceased constable leaves a widow and two children to mourn his loss. "He was one of the most valuable men in the search," said Inspector McDonald, "and for the past three days never rested a minute."

An inquest will be held this afternoon. Akroff, the dead bandit, was buried in an unmarked grave here Sunday, while the bodies of the dead police officers were sent east to their respective homes Sunday night. Automobiles carrying police officers are whisking through the streets of Bellevue on the way to Frank to investigate the report that just reached here that Bassoff is believed to be cornered near that place. Thus cornered it will mean a bitter fight, and the police are not taking any chances of his shooting a path through. It will be a case of shoot or sight. The entire countryside is aroused to a high pitch, with everyone carrying rifles.

The number of the posse was greatly augmented today and large parties of police are being utilized in drawing the cordon tighter around Bellevue, Hillcrest, Burmis and Frank.

After having spent Saturday morning in the vicinity of Bellevue the two bandits Akroff and Bassoff sauntered up the street to the Bellevue cafe, and walking in selected a box close to the door. They had been recognized by J. Robinson, J.P. of Bellevue, however, as they passed his window, and he immediately notified the police. Provincial Constable Frewin from Bellevue walked into the cafe alone and pulling the curtain of the box recognized the two bandits. They were sitting with their coats off at the time. Frewin immediately walked out and summoned Corp. Usher and Constable Bailey and all three walked back in. The bandits in the meantime suspecting trouble, had put on their coats.

"Throw up your hands," Corp. Usher commanded, to which Akroff replied, "Why for we put our hands up" at the same time twisting his coat so that he could reach his Luger. One of the police officers fired high to back up the command, and immediately the bandits opened fire. Corp. Usher was shot through the neck, right temple and shoulder, while Constable Bailey was hit in the right lung and neck. Constable Frewin emptied his gun into Akroff and then

DOMINION FARMER-
LABOR PARTY
MAY BE FORMED

The National Farmers-Labor party is to be organized in readiness for the next Dominion general elections, and to this end circular letters are being sent to secretaries of Labor parties in the various provinces of the Dominion by Jas. Simpson of this city, secretary of the Ontario section of the Canadian Labor party.

The decision to issue the call for a meeting for the purpose of organizing the new national party was arrived at on Saturday at a conference between Labor representatives and officials of the United Farmers of Ontario.

The circular states that "the recent success of the Labor-Farmer forces in Ontario, Manitoba and Nova Scotia makes it all the more necessary that a national party should be organized with a view to adequately meeting the situations arising from time to time, and solving the big national problems which have to be solved in the future."

The date and place of meeting have not yet been decided upon.

SUBSCRIBERS PAYING
FOR THE TIMES
DURING PAST WEEK

Following are the names of those paying subscriptions to The Times during the past week:

C. G. Bowker, Macleod; A. L. McKenzie, Macleod; F. Seymour, Macleod; R. B. Barnes, North Vancouver; P. McCutcheon, Macleod; Sergeant-Major Armer, Macleod; George Pearson, Macleod.

We offer for your consolation brethren, "It is more blessed to give than to receive," and before we pronounce the benediction we would like to say "Let the good work continue."

C. G. BOWKER
SAYS GOOD-BYE

We regret to record the departure of Mr. C. G. Bowker, for four years the popular manager of the Empress Theatre, who left for British Columbia last Thursday. Mr. Bowker came to Macleod in 1916, from Edmonton with a wide experience in the moving picture business, and during his stay in our town he always endeavored to give the public the best possible service. His many friends and acquaintances in Macleod will wish him every success in his new surroundings.

Card of Thanks

Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Macdonald wish to thank the many friends for their expressions of sympathy during their recent bereavement.

rushed outside to reload. Corp. Usher and Constable Bailey, both fatally wounded and with their empty guns hanging limply, staggered to the doorway of the cafe, and fell side by side. Bassoff followed them out, stooping as he passed to remove the weapons from the dying officers. To make certain of his work, he deliberately fired three rounds into the bodies of each of the officers and then started for the hills. He looked back for his partner Akroff, who bleeding and staggering was trying to get away. Bassoff returned and examined Akroff's wounds and realizing he was fatally hit sent a bullet crashing into his brain. In the battle it is claimed Bassoff was wounded in the shoulder, a trail of blood pointing his direction to the hills.

Inhabitants of Bellevue watched the closing stages of the battle from the shelter of homes and stores, and a few of the braver spirits fired several shots after Bassoff as he made his escape. There was not a rifle in the town nor a round of ammunition, and several hours elapsed before the posse, heavily armed picked up the trail. It is safe to state that at least 100 men are guarding the bandits every exit, and it is but a matter of hours before the final chapter will be written. There is a persistent rumor that Bassoff is being hidden among the foreign element of Hillcrest, a hotbed of Bolsheviks.

A search of this section may be held later in the day according to police official. Superintendent Pennyfather went to Lethbridge on Sunday night but will return today to take charge of operations. The country in which Bassoff is presumed to be hiding is very rough and sufficiently wooded to afford cover and make the task of capture a difficult one. Examination of the bodies show that Corp. Usher was hit seven times, Constable Bailey 11 times and Akroff seven times. Police officials are certain the bandits intended holding up the Bellevue branch of the Union bank on Saturday afternoon. It was pay day at the mines and considerable cash was on hand to pay the miners.

The special constables who left from Macleod on the special train on Saturday were Messrs. McLarty, Dilatash, Don Stoetkow, Hammersley, G. Scheer and Shultz. They were sworn in before Magistrate Stedman and left on Saturday evening and remained in the Pass until Monday, when they were relieved by a detachment of regular police.

MURDERED POLICEMEN
ARE BURIED WITH
MILITARY HONORS

Seldom has there been seen a larger crowd than that which gathered around the little English Church in Macleod this (Wednesday) afternoon, to pay their last respects to the two young policemen who laid down their lives in the execution of their duty in the Crow's Nest Pass on Saturday afternoon. Friends of the deceased policemen gathered from Pincher Creek, Lethbridge and Macleod, for although they belonged to different forces they were equally well known in each of these places. The funeral took place from the R. C. M. P. Barracks under the direction of Inspector Lindsay who, with a detachment of 20 men from the camp at Banff, returned to take charge. The bodies were placed upon a gun carriage, driven by Constables G. Bell and McMahon, and draped with Union Jacks, and the procession, consisting of the deceased men's officers' comrades and relatives, moved off at slow march and with arms reversed, to the Church of England, where it was met by the officiating clergyman, Rev. S. Middleton, of St. Paul's Mission. In his address Mr. Middleton referred to the tragic ending of these two young lives and said that "they had given their lives for their country and were heroes, and as such their memory will ever be revered. They freely gave their lives for us, for our safety and once again the true British spirit has been exemplified. Their death is an appeal to us, to maintain the rights and privileges of a true Canadian citizenship; it is also an appeal that justice be carried out and that such terrible crimes do not occur again. The funeral service was fully choral, the choir being supplemented by members of the other choirs in the town, with Mr. R. Charlton at the organ. At the close of the service the congregation stood at solemn attention whilst the organ gave forth the strains of the "Dead March in Saul." Once again the procession formed and marched to the Union Cemetery. Upon arrival at the grave side the firing party, consisting of 14 men under Sergeant Webb and Corporal McAskill, took their place and when the last sentence had been pronounced by the minister the parting volley was fired over the graves, and Constable R. Charlton sounded the "Last Post."

Besides the immediate relatives of Constable Bailey, the mourners included Superintendent Pennyfather, of Lethbridge, and Inspector Macdonald of Macleod, representing the R. C. M. P.; Superintendent Bryan, Inspectors Brankley and Risk, representing the Alberta Provincial Police. The pall bearers for Corporal Usher consisted of a detachment of the R. C. M. P., and included Constables Reynolds, Eddy, Arbuckle, Reid, Duquay and Kirk; and those for Constable Bailey consisted of six men of the Provincial Police, in charge of Corp. Watt, of Macleod.

There were many beautiful wreaths sent by relatives and friends, including those "In memory of our Dear Son." Mr. and Mrs. M. Bailey; In memory of "Our Brother" from Const. Bailey's brother and sisters; and those sent by the Officers, Non-commissioned Officers and Constables of the R.C.M.P.; Inspector Mundy, of the A.P.P.; Dr. Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. A. Young, Mrs. Small and Miss Gower, Hudson's Bay Company, Macleod, Hudson's Bay Company, Lethbridge; Mr. and Mrs. W. Shannon, Dr. and Mrs. L. Faunt Jones, Noren and Mrs. D. Eukin, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Vycloff, Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Perkins, Pincher Creek; and Mr. and Mrs. Parker and R. Hobbs, Pincher Creek; Tom Passett, Medicine Hat.

Both, the deceased men were well known in and around Macleod and each, in the particular force to which he belonged, was looked upon as being capable and efficient men. Corp. Usher was an Irishman and was 26 years of age. He was born in Ballyconneen, near Clifton, County Galway, Ireland. Loosing his parents at an early age, he came to Canada in 1913, and landed in the city of Lethbridge. In 1914 he joined the R.N.W.M.P. and was stationed for a while in Lethbridge and also in Medicine Hat. At the outbreak of the war, he, with many of his comrades, went overseas and served through all the campaigns. He returned and reported back to duty some time in August, 1919, and for seven months was stationed at Pincher Creek, under Sergeant Brewer. He also spent some time at Hillcrest during the dispute among the miners. This spring he was promoted to the rank of corporal and was very popular among his comrades.

Constable Frederick W. E. Bailey was born in England and was 30 years of age. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Bailey, lived in Leicestershire and emigrated to Canada in 1896 and for three years they lived in Brandon. In 1909 they came west, where Mr. M. Bailey settled upon what is now the home farm at Ewelme. In 1918 Evan, as he is called by the family, joined the Alberta Provincial Police and was stationed at Lethbridge, where he has been practically all the time since. Just before the tragedy which cost

MACLEOD LOSES
SCHOOL INSPECTOR
M. E. LAZERTE

In connection with the re-arrangement and reorganization of both inspection and normal school work, as outlined by Hon. Geo. P. Smith, minister of education, Mr. M. E. Lazerte, the former inspector of Macleod, has been appointed inspector of city schools in Edmonton, and Mr. J. H. Hutchinson, an instructor in the Calgary Normal School, has been appointed for Macleod.

The large number of new appointments and transfers is necessary largely on account of new plans with regard to inspection in cities and the establishing, on a permanent basis, of a third normal school for the province in the city of Edmonton. The necessary for a new rural inspectorate in the vicinity of Medicine Hat and Lethbridge, and the reorganization of boundaries there, is also being met.

Placing of Inspectors

Inspection work is being provided for as follows:

Calgary, R. H. Roberts, formerly inspector at Lethbridge, and James Fowler, formerly inspector at Wainwright.

Edmonton, G. S. Lord, formerly supervisor of senior grades in the city of Edmonton, and M. E. Lazerte, formerly inspector at Macleod.

Lethbridge, A. J. Watson, formerly inspector at High River and more recently junior inspector, of high schools for the province.

Medicine Hat, F. G. Buchanan, formerly inspector at Lacombe.

Macleod, J. H. Hutchinson, formerly instructor in the Calgary normal school.

Lacombe, W. J. McLean, transferred from the Castor inspectorate.

High River, J. F. Boyce, transferred from the Calgary inspectorate.

Wainwright, E. L. Fuller, formerly principal of the Alexander high school in the city of Edmonton.

Consort, H. D. Cartwright, formerly principal of schools in the town of Lacombe.

Castor, Frederick Carr, formerly of the staff of the Alexander high school in Edmonton.

New High School Inspector

G. A. McKee, principal of the Strathcona high school, has been named as junior high school inspector for the province, with headquarters in the city of Edmonton. Mr. McKee has been a successful high school teacher and principal for the past 12 years in Alberta.

The three normal schools will be staffed as follows:

Edmonton Normal School

Principal, G. F. McNally, supervisor of schools for the province.

Assistants: C. Sansom, transferred from Calgary normal school; Miss D. J. Dickie, transferred from Camrose normal school; J. A. Fife, formerly inspector in the city of Edmonton; G. F. Manning, transferred from Camrose normal school; Miss E. M. Burnett, supervisor of primary work; D. A. McKerricher, formerly inspector at Lethbridge.

Calgary Normal School

Principal, Dr. E. W. Coffin and four assistants, James Loucks, A. E. Hutton, Miss O. M. Fisher and Miss M. M. Goldie, remain in their former positions. A. E. Torrie is being transferred to Calgary from the Camrose normal school, and a new appointee in the person of L. J. Williams, formerly inspector of schools at Medicine Hat, complete the staff.

Camrose Normal School

Principal, W. A. Stickle and three assistants, J. R. Tuck, Miss Margaret Stewart and F. S. Morrison, remain in the former positions. There are three new appointments to the staff.

Miss E. K. Johnson of the Camrose high school staff; Miss Margaret McSkimming of the Strathcona high school and William Gray, formerly inspector of schools at Consort.

MACLEOD PARTY AT
WATERTON LAKES

There were quite a number of Macleod citizens who motored over to Waterton Lakes for the week-end last week. Some of them returned by way of Cardston in order to visit the Mormon Temple. Among others making the trip were Mayor and Mrs. Fawcett and Miss May, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. McLean, A. A. Stephenson and family of Granum, Oscar Rosaine, Mrs. Chas. Johnson and her daughter, Dr. and Mrs. Kirk and family, and Mr. W. McNichol, manager of the Trusts and Guarantee Company of Lethbridge. We understand that several of the party went fishing, but the only successful angler of the party was Miss May Fawcett.

him his life he was relieving Corp. Rogan at Pincher Creek, and had only returned to Lethbridge the day before, expecting to be sent the next day to relieve Corp. Watt at Macleod.

Instead of coming to Macleod he was ordered to the Pass to assist in the search for the desperadoes, and with Corp. Usher, of the R. C. M. P., met his death. Besides his sorrowing mother and father he leaves a wife and three small children in Lethbridge, and one brother and five sisters, one of whom is married to Corp. Staley, of the R. C. M. P., Lethbridge.

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BRADSTREET'S
ESTIMATE FOR
1920 CROP

The revised estimate of areas sown to principal grain crops and to potatoes and hay, issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, shows that wheat, including fall sown, occupies 17,186,300 acres, which compares with 19,256,968, the final estimate of 1919. Spring wheat occupies 16,446,000 acres, or 11 per cent less than last year; fall wheat, 740,300 acres, or 10 per cent more. The area sown to oats is 15,555,400 acres, as against 14,952,114 acres last year, an increase of 4 per cent. Barley is sown to 2,588,000 acres, or 2 per cent less; rye, 729,500 acres, or 3 per cent less; peas, 222,300 acres, or 3 per cent less than last year. Hay and clover occupy 10,409,150 acres, or 2 per cent less than a year ago, while potatoes have an acreage of 819,000 practically equal to last year. In the three prairie provinces, the estimated area sown to wheat is 15,771,000 acres, as against 17,750,167 acres, the final estimate of 1919, a decrease of 10 per cent. In Manitoba the acre is 2,786,000 acres as against 2,880,301 acres, a decrease of 7 per cent; in Saskatchewan, 9,440,000 acres as against 10,587,363 acres, a decrease of 11 per cent, and in Alberta, 3,644,000 acres as against 4,282,503 acres, a decrease of 15 per cent from last year.

The outstanding features in Canadian trade are the present quiet in many lines, notably apparel trades. High River, J. F. Boyce, transferred from the Calgary inspectorate.

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COMPLETE PRIZE LIST
OF THE MACLEOD FAIR

Macleod was favored with two days of splendid weather for the annual fair and consequently was patronized by a larger crowd than has ever been seen and to look at the crowds of people that thronged the Macleod agricultural fair on those two days no person would ever believe that the country has emerged from three dry years and the hardest winter ever known, for the grounds and grandstand were packed to witness the best fair Macleod has ever seen. The gate receipts were over \$400 more than last year and the entries in many cases were fifty per cent. more than those of 1919.

Every one of the exhibitors were local men which perhaps more than anything else is a wonderful lesson in the value of the small fairs. There was also a marked increase in the number of grain and grass entries and this in spite of the fact that the large areas north and east of Macleod were badly blown this spring. On the whole the exhibits are a splendid testimony to the wonderful recuperative powers of southern Alberta.

One of the surprising things in the fair was the large number of entries of ladies' fancy work, there being no less than 162 entries in this section, consisting of fancy needle work of all descriptions and for the most part the work of the women on the farms.

Fine Work by Schools
Another outstanding feature is the phenomenal increase in the school and juvenile departments. Last year there

were about 97 entries in the sections in this department. This year there were over 300 of which 183 entries were from the rural schools in the Macleod inspectorate. The work submitted by the boys and girls is of a very high order and is a fine testimony to the excellent work done by the provincial department of agriculture and education in our country districts in promoting school fairs.

Good Racing Program
There was a splendid program of horse racing, the most attractive being the various Indian races which are always a feature of the Macleod fair. The horses were all from the Macleod, Granum and Claresholm districts.

Mention must be made of the veteran horseman, Mr. Patrick A. Fry, who for the past 20 years has been a regular competitor on the Macleod track and today, at the age of 75, was as enthusiastic as the first day he drove a horse.

Capt. McCall, the Calgary aviator, was on hand with an exhibition of flying stunts and engaged in carrying a number of passengers, the machine used being a J.N. 4 D Curtis biplane with Capt. McCall as pilot and R. H. Fraser as mechanic.

Horse Classes
In the Clydesdale horse class the principle winners were David Mackintosh, who won the championship, and John Mackenzie, while the principle ribbons in the Percheron classes went to R. L. Hackett. The Shire class was small, but some fine animals were shown by the Maclean Bros. The display of heavy draft animals was the finest ever seen in the Macleod show ring. Special mention must be made of the several splendid four-horse teams, all owned by farmers in the surrounding district, shown by Messrs. Mackenzie, Maclean Bros., R. L. Hackett and D. E. Ringland, and these heavy horses are fast displacing the small type of horse formerly raised on the farm in the early days. The light horse classes, such as driving and saddle horses were very light. This type is gradually disappearing in favor of the motor car.

Cattle Classes
In the cattle class the Shorthorns were by far the strongest, both in numbers and quality. Jos. Shield was a large prize winner, winning the Harrison cup for the best herd. Harris Bros. had a fine string of animals, their young bull winning first and champion. This is the same bull that was shown in Calgary. J. H. Evans also had a nice herd and took several prizes. In the grade cattle, C. Hammersley and J. Leecwick were the principle winners.

Grains and Grasses
In spite of the late season and of the fact that quite a large area was blown out there was a good display of grains and grasses. Wheat, oats, barley, rye, brome, timothy, alfalfa and other fodder crops were shown in the sheaf and Albert Weaver of Mud Lake took first in sheaf wheat and first in sheaf oats with two splendid samples. The exhibition in these classes go to show what a variety of grains and feed can be raised in the Macleod district under favorable circumstances. There is usually a very

FOR SALE—Large wicker sleeping baby carriage. As good as new. Can be seen at 114, 18th Street. Phone 59. 23-3t

FOR SALE—Cheap 7-roomed modern house, bathroom and pantry, first class hot water heating system, garage, large garden. Small cash payment. Apply W. H. Atkins. 23-4tp

FOR SALE—22 White Wyandotte Hens; also 3 tables, quantity of linoleum, garden hose and spray, bed, bed spring and mattress, and numerous other small articles. Apply R. Cotton, 21st St., east of 5th Avenue. 23-2tp

WANTED—Furnished house, five rooms, modern, want possession Oct. 1st or thereabouts. Apply P. O. Box 108, Macleod. 23-3tp

LOST—A Waltham wrist watch, near the watering trough at the Macleod Fair. Suitable reward. Finder please return same to the Times Office. Hugh McLean. 23-3t

LOST—Between Waterton School and Macleod, one five-gallon measuring can—red—marked "Naptha." Finder return to Imperial Oil Company, Macleod, and receive reward. 23-1tp

LOST—On Saturday last, a Corning dim lens and rim from a Ford lamp. Finder please return to Times Office. 23-1t

WANTED—Case 26 x 46 Separator. Write stating particulars and price. R. A. Macleod, Box 87, Granum. 23-3t

LOST—On Saturday, July 31st on streets in Macleod, ladies' white Jaeger wool sweater. Finder please return to The Times office. 23-3tp

FARM WANTED—I want to hear from party having a farm for sale. Give price and description. John W. Wait, Champaign, Illinois. 22-2t

DRESS MAKING—Children's clothes a specialty—Mrs. A. R. McFadden, 341, 18th Street. 22-2tp-tf

FOR RENT—3 modern houses, 2 and 3-room furnished apartments in the Anderton Block—Apply A. T. Leather. 21-1t

FOR SALE—1 Case Threshing Outfit, 18-36 Separator, 10-20 Engine. All in good running order. Engine threshed one season. For information apply C. H. BOWEN, Spring Point, Alta. 21-3tp-p

MATERNITY NURSE—Open for Macleod and district. Terms moderate. Apply P. O. Box 129, Macleod. 12-3tp-tf

large exhibition of vegetables at the Macleod fair, but a severe hailstorm late in the season spoiled most of the gardens in town, and consequently the entries were small. The judges in the stock classes were W. C. Lowes, of Edmonton, for horses, and J. McMillan for cattle.

For the horse racing events the judges were John Daley, Frank Cochran and G. Skelding, M.P.P., who carried out the exacting duties of their office in a most satisfactory way. J. Paisley and P. McCartin were the starters, whilst among the competitors the Noel boys had some fine horses. There were also some familiar lady riders and drivers including Mrs. White, Miss Hewson and Miss Ferguson.

In the auto parade that took place on Thursday afternoon the prizes were won by the Hudson's Bay company, first; Imperial Oil Company second and Mr. C. A. Mercer, manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, third.

Horses—Clydesdales
The race committee were successful in straightening out one or two little disputes and the whole of the events passed off to the satisfaction of every body concerned.

The following is the full prize list:

Clydesdales
Stallion, 4 years or over—1, D. Mackintosh; 2, P. Chugg.

Stallion, 3 years—1, D. Mackintosh; Mare and Foal—1 and 2, John McKenzie, Granum.

Foal—1 and 2, John McKenzie, Granum.

Filly, 2 years—1 and 2, D. Mackintosh.

Team—1, D. Mackintosh; 2, J. McKenzie.

Stallion and 3 of his get—1, D. Mackintosh; 2, P. Chugg.

Champion Stallion—1, D. Mackintosh.

Champion Mare—1, D. Mackintosh.

Filly, 2 years—1, R. L. Hackett.

Filly, yearling—1, R. L. Hackett.

Stallion and 3 of his get—1, R. L. Hackett; 2, J. N. Matheson.

Champion Stallion—1, R. L. Hackett.

Champion Mare—1, R. L. Hackett.

Special, Mare, Canadian Percheron Society—1, R. L. Hackett; 2, Hugh McLean.

Special, Foal, Canadian Percheron Society—1, R. L. Hackett; 2, J. N. Ringland.

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"THE BARBER"
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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

R. J. E. Gardner was a visitor to High River on Wednesday.

Mrs. J. T. Doney is away spending her vacation with friends at Lethbridge.

Mrs. D. R. Carse and family returned on Thursday last from Crossfields, where they have been spending their holidays.

It is rumored that the Macleod Golf Club will hold their annual dance on the evening of Labor Day, Monday, Sept. 6th.

We are informed that the horse young Noel had to pull leather out at the bucking contest at the fair last week, was successfully ridden by Jim McNab, at Chugg's farm on Sunday. It is said that \$25.00 changed hands.

F. Benson informs us that the crops in the Mud Lake district are excellent—he speaks particularly of those of Sol Angell and James Grant, which he states will average 30 bushels to the acre—and these are indicative of general crop conditions in the Mud Lake district.

In referring to the complaints regarding the muddy condition of the town water this spring, Engineer Pearson points out that things were not as bad as they might have been, as they have recently cleaned out the sediment basin and took out 2,000 tons of silt—the stuff we didn't get.

J. W. McDonald, K.C., was a business visitor to Pincher Creek on Tuesday of this week in connection with the untangling of the affairs of the South Alberta Hay Growers' Association. It is understood that investigation divulged the fact that the association had become involved to the extent of upwards of \$100,000—the only assets to offset being \$30,000 of questionable trade paper. It also appears that several members of the association are hard hit as personal guarantors.

Rev. J. Kennedy, pastor of Presbyterian Church, has returned from Waterton Lakes. The first Sunday he was there the Rev. S. Middleton, of St. Paul's Mission, was there with some of the Indians of the Blood and Peigan Reserve. They built a campfire in the evening and all gathered round and sang hymns. On the second and two following Sunday evenings Mr. Kennedy conducted a short service in the dance hall, and he reports a very kind reception and regards he was not able to stay longer.

Mrs. S. Dillingham entertained at her home on Monday afternoon, last, in honor of her daughter, Miss Virginia, in connection with the latter's approaching marriage. The occasion was an enjoyable one—the prospective bride's trousseau was duly inspected and admired (as is usual on such occasions) and congratulations and felicitations were the order of the day. Following is the guest list: Messdames Walshe, Bain, Williams, Sutherland (Sr.), Sutherland (J.B.) Cottom, Little, Dickson, Polly, Reid, Winter, Morrison, McFarquhar, McLean (T.), Benson (F.), Thornley, Ferguson (W.), and Misses Fern Hovis, Nellie Williams, Winnie Mc Donald, Vera Benson, Lillian Dickson, Helen McFarquhar, Florence McFarquhar, Lena McLean, Jessie Grant, Jeanette White, Dolly Dougan and Jeanette White, Dolly Dougan, Veronica Parker and Gertie Harris.

TRADE AGREEMENT
BETWEEN CANADA
AND WEST INDIES

OTTAWA, Aug. 4.—The new trade agreement concluded between Canada and the British West Indies was made public Tuesday. It increases in certain instances the present mutual preference of 20 per cent. to 50 per cent.; it extends the free list; it provides for an increased steamship service between Canadian ports and the eastern group of the British West Indies, and a fortnightly service between Canadian ports and the western group. The weekly service is to come into operation "as soon as possible, and in any case within three years;" the fortnightly service with the western group is to come into effect not later than January 1, 1921. The agreement provides that the various governments of the British West Indies will contribute towards the necessary subsidies.

In the case of the fortnightly service to the western group—the Bahamas, British Honduras and Jamaica—the vessels are to be provided by the government of Canada. Here, if the service proves unremunerative,

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**Macleod's Next
BIG EVENT
ONE CENT SALE
Watch for Date
A. D. FERGUSON-THE REXALL STORE**

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PRAISES THE
BLUE ROUTE

the three West Indian colonies mentioned will contribute 25 per cent. of the loss within certain restrictions.

To Lay British Cables

The agreement concludes with a declaration that the representatives of Canada and the British West Indian colonies will recommend for the consideration of their respective governments, that British owned and British controlled cables should be laid as soon as possible, without waiting for the termination of the agreement with the West Indian and Panama Telegraph Co., to connect Bermuda with Barbadoes, Trinidad, British Guiana, the Windward Islands, and Turks Island, or Jamaica.

In regard to trade, Canada affirms the principle of granting a preference on all goods being the product or manufacture of any of the British West Indies imported into Canada, which are now subject to duty, or which may be made subject to duty at any future time.

The Canadian customs duties on all goods (other than tobaccos, cigars, cigarettes and spirituous liquors,) being the product or manufacture of any of the British West Indies, are not to be more than 50 per cent. of the duties imposed on similar goods when imported from any foreign country.

Make Special Provision

Special provision is made, however, in the case of the following goods:

Sugar, according to degree of polarization, preference ranging from 46,080 cents per one hundred pounds to 96 cents. Cocoa beans, not roasted, crushed or ground (per 100 lbs.) a preference of \$1.50.

Lime juice, raw and concentrated, not refined (per gallon,) a preference of 10 cents.

Limes, fresh, free, as against general tariff of 15 per cent. ad valorem.

Arrowroot, per lb., a preference of one cent.

Coconuts, per 100 (imported direct to a Canadian port,) free, as against general tariff of 75 cents.

Coconuts, not otherwise provided for, a preference of 50 cents per 100.

Grapefruit, a preference of 50 cents per 100 pounds.

Rum, a preference of 60 cents a gallon of the strength of proof.

Onions free, as against a tariff of 30 per cent. ad valorem.

Attention is called to D. R. Carse's change of ad.—Plumbing, gasfitting and steamfitting.

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Business
Paragraphs

Go to the K.A.Y. Realty for Fire Insurance.

Coming—One-Cent-Sale—A. D. Ferguson.

Horses for sale—Benson and Greenwood.

John T. Doney, Jeweler, for sea-sonable gifts.

For first-class barbering see W. T. Fleming.

Meals, smokes, ice cream, rooms at the Palace Cafe.

For your protection read McLeod Motors advertisement.

For wedding gifts—See R. W.

Russell's announcement.

Real estate, Insurance, money to loan—See George Scougall.

For the latest official route map see Macleod Meat Market.

From every point of view—Read Lemire's Shoe Repair ad.

Fly pads and tanglefoot—good fly prescriptions at R. D. McNay's.

Challenge Grain Separator—See F. A. Adams at Co-Op. Garage.

Why? For the answer see Whitefoot Photo Service advertisement.

Hot—here, perhaps there—Read Reach & Company's announcement.

The best life insurance policy in the best company—ask A. F. Grady.

Good Bread—Budwen's Bakery—Be sure to read Budwen's advertisement.

See J. S. Lambert's announcement regarding contracting and building.

Fine work a specialty. Hand sewn oak soles—W. K. Mackie, shoemaker.

S. McCren, Blacksmith, has just installed an oxy-acetylene welding plant.

New arrivals in boots and shoes—Go to R. T. Barker's for these—prices right.

Right Service at right prices and best equipment—See City Garage announcement.

Midsummer Sale of Trimmed Millinery, picnic hats, etc. Miss A. M. Wilson.

See Hoodless' ad. for Exide Service Station accommodations for the public.

List your lands with Hugh Mackintosh, local agent United Grain Growers.

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Lillian Walker, in the part of Betty Thorndyke, portrays the role with the charm and daring in keeping with the unusual talents of that well-known screen star. Others in the strong cast are Coit Albertson, William Pike, Joseph Marba, Leora Spellman, George Lessey, Charles Middleton and Bernard Randall.

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WEDNESDAY, AUG. 11, 1920

HOW KANSAS OVERCAME
SOIL DRIFTING

That there was much in common between Southern Alberta and Kansas in the problems of farming, was the statement of Professor W. M. Jardine, president of the State College of Kansas, in his address on "Soil Drifting and its Prevention." The big audience followed what he had to say with intensified interest, consequent on the late experience in the area which comprises the Lethbridge North-east Irrigation project.

The professor brought to the attention of the audience that soil-drifting, which was the greatest problem in Kansas, was no longer a problem in the means that were used to remedy the same. Kansas, with a wind-blown area of a 64,000-acre solid block, in addition to other areas, are now transformed into one of the finest wheat growing areas in the States. There was no further trouble with soil drifting except in the case of farmers who through prosperity had become careless.

Kansas Winds

Winds in Kansas, said the speaker

blew harder and oftener than they did in Southern Alberta, and he felt sure that the winds here were the tail end of the Kansas winds. In 1913 the soil drifting problem was the most serious in western Kansas. There was the solid block of 64,000 acres blown out; homes were abandoned with the soil blown over the top of them; there was no such thing as vegetation. In addition to the wind trouble, the farmers in the practising of summerfallowing and disc plowing had aggravated conditions caused by the winds.

To remedy the existing conditions at the time in western Kansas an area of 4,000 acres was specially set apart at the Experimental Station for finding out means to resist the effect of the high winds. The importance of retaining the humus in the soil was recognized, and for this purpose the development of livestock was gone into with the erection of fourteen silos. To carry on the campaign to combat soil drifting the farmers were asked to co-operate to the extent of putting up the like amount in cash contributed by the authorities. To this end \$8,000 was subscribed, and the Rock Island railway, which had to encounter the same problem, came forward with financial aid.

STOP IT AT START

It was discovered that the initial part of solving the problem of soil-drifting was to stop the starting of the movement. It was felt that if this was affected there would be no more trouble. The moving soil developed a cutting surface, and with the velocity of a wind, moving at the rate of 30 to 40 miles an hour, aided in the devastation that was going on.

THE LISTER

The instrument used in Kansas to fight soil-drifting was the lister. This was made to take the place of the ordinary plow. It was found that listered ground never blew out. In listering the system of furrowing was followed out. Furrows were found to be the safeguard against soil-drifting, provided they were made on the windward side and starting to come back. Listers were the best instruments for this purpose, but failing these, any sort of cultivator would do, provided the secret was followed of furrowing to windward and coming back. Get to the windward side in making furrows along the field and the soil will be held. Vegetation alone will not hold the soil if the furrows were necessary, and it was a practice in Kansas for the farmers during a wind-storm, or when a storm was expected to go out among the growing wheat and dig furrows.

In the furrows were planted vegetation, such as sorghum, and these made a definite barrier. In Kansas

they were raising from 25 bushels to 40 bushels of wheat to the acre on clay loam, similar to the soil of Southern Alberta, and by the furrowing principle had effectively remedied the soil-drifting menace. The conditions of 1913-14 had been overcome.

ILLUSTRATED SOIL DRIFTING

Professor Jardine's lantern illustrations proved interesting to the farmers and called forth many questions. He showed operations conducted on the large tract of land referred to and spoke highly of the qualities of the lister plow in saving land from blowing.

Throughout his talk he endeavored to emphasize the point that soil-drifting is easy to stop and tried to encourage the farmers to more effort. In Kansas the question is practically settled one and any farmer who has his land blown does not receive any sympathy, but just a smile, because he has not been onto his job.

KEEP SURFACE LUMPY

"If every other quarter section was covered with grass in this country soil drifting would not be known," he said. Continuing, he emphasized the necessity of keeping the surface of the soil lumpy and advocated the using of a cultivator that allows the fine soil to sift down and puts the lumps on top. The rotary rod weeder was advocated.

DISC HARROW IS TABOO

Farmers in Kansas now do not consider the disc harrow their friend as much as they did in past years, he announced. These farmers do not flatten out or pack the surface. In reference to the Lister he said they used it in plowing strips across fields to arrest the flowing particles. And these strips were always at right angles to the wind.

A CROMWELL IS
NEEDED IN IRELAND

LONDON, Aug. 5.—After a debate which developed great heat and personal scenes between Lloyd George and Herbert F. Asquith, the government, at 11 o'clock tonight defeated the motion of John Robert Clines, (Labourite) for rejection of the new Irish Crimes Bill, and the measure passed second reading by a vote of 289 to 71. The voting was carried out under a motion moved in the House early today by Andrew Bonar Law, providing for passage of the bill by six o'clock tomorrow evening.

At the very opening of the debate, the days of Parnell were recalled. Mr. Asquith started an angry duel with the premier by declaring the situation in Ireland needed Cromwellian treatment, but that he could see no Cromwell in the government.

The premier retorted by describing Mr. Asquith as Cromwell when he was in power.

Sir Hamar Greenwood, chief secretary for Ireland, opened the discussion by explaining it was not intended for the bill to supersede the ordinary courts; it would only apply to disturbed areas at the discretion of the Irish government and would not be operated in a revengeful spirit.

BLAMES THE GOVERNMENT

Mr. Asquith then spoke, blaming the government for the present position in Ireland. This met with angry cries of dissent. He declared he was not scared by the spectre of an Irish republic, because he believed to concede dominion home rule to Ireland would cause the cry for a republic to dwindle away.

TREASON IN IRELAND

Throughout his speech, the premier was subjected to interruptions from both sides of the House, intervention of the speaker frequently being required to preserve order. In the course of his reproaches against Mr. Asquith, the premier said it might have been supposed from Mr. Asquith's speech that Ireland was a paradise in 1918, whereas, he declared, the facts were that in that year there was an army of over 150,000 enlisted men in Ireland, engaged in treasonable conspiracy, and in negotiations with the Germans. He said this army had undertaken to attack Great Britain two months after the German offensive, of which it had been informed.

TREASON OF THE LEADERS

"It was in the same year," he went on, "we discovered documents in the pockets of men who are now leaders of south and west Ireland, showing there was an arrangement between them and the Germans to attack us at the moment of our greatest peril."

Mr. Lloyd George's general argu-

ment was that the government was prepared to make great concessions for the sake of peace, good will, and partnership, but, he said, any dominion solution required definite assertions regarding the army, navy and ports, and the position of Ulster, which could not be forced into a home rule parliament.

BRITAIN WILL NEVER CONCEDE

No disposition to accept such a solution, continued the premier, was apparent in south and west Ireland. On the contrary, he said, the south and west were demanding something Britain could never concede except as a result of disaster and defeat. He believed there were hopeful indications of changing views concerning these extravagant demands, while the campaign of outrage and murder continued, he stated, there was no alternative but the bill the government was now proposing.

DE VALERA NEVER THOUGHT OF DOMINION HOME RULE

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5.—Emmon De Valera, self-styled "president of the Irish republic," made public here today a cablegram he has sent to Arthur Griffiths, acting head of the republic," characterizing as absurd reports that De Valera had written to associates in Ireland that he would accept colonial home rule.

"From cable dispatches published here," his message said, "it is evident that an attempt is being made to fool the Irish people into the belief that I have written a letter indicating that I would accept colonial home rule. I have, of course, never at any time written any such letter. Anyone in possession of a letter of mine, no matter how confidential, on any such topic is free to publish it. Surely no one can think that now when the republic is established I would counsel a course which I refused to stand for when the republic was yet a hope. The whole thing is absurd."

IRISHMEN CONFIDENT THAT MANNIX WILL LAND

DUBLIN, Aug. 5.—The freedom of the city for Archbishop Mannix of Australia was voted unanimously at a special meeting of the Dublin corporation today. A committee was appointed to make arrangements to meet the archbishop on his arrival.

Today's meeting of the corporation did not excite unusual interest. There was no crowd in the galleries, and less than 4 of the 80 members attended.

A cablegram was read from Irishmen at Cape Town, in which protest was made against the government's attempt to prevent Archbishop Mannix from landing. Speeches made during the corporation's discussion assumed it to be certain that the archbishop would land.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS

LONDON, AUG. 4.—Messages from Australia quote Premier Hughes as saying that Archbishop Mannix would not be allowed to return to Australia.

TORONTO, Aug. 4.—The accession of the United Farmers of Ontario government to power apparently foreboded a new era of prosperity and leisure to the farmer in Ontario, if certain definite predictions can be accepted as a criterion, the farmer and the business men will in the future as far as privileges are concerned, be different in name only. The weekly half holiday acknowledged by the city firms as a prime necessity, but which till lately was frowned upon by followers of the pastoral pursuits, is now becoming recognized as "not a necessary evil," but a practical health requirement. Investigations recently made in various centres of Ontario bear out the fact that the farmer is taking his half holiday regularly. No fixed date has been set, but Wednesday and Saturday generally find the agricultural folk enjoying themselves at picnics and elsewhere to best advantage. Most of them have their ball teams and a few have their lacrosse and soccer teams also.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 4.—John Farnell, one of the Winnipeg strike leaders, who given a jail term of nine months for sedition utterances, is to be released at once. Farnell has been in jail for about six months, so that three months are being lopped off his sentence.

The order for the release comes as

the culmination of quiet but persistent efforts on the part of international labor leaders to get Farnell out of jail in view of the poor health of his wife and the baby that was born after the father was imprisoned.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 4.—Surveying of a coast to coast aerial route for commercial aviation, recently undertaken by the Dominion government, is practically completed in certain districts and within a year's time trans-Canada flying will be inaugurated, according to the statement of Major R. B. Hobbs, Dominion inspector of civil aviation, of Ottawa, who arrived in the city today.

Major Hobbs stated that the development of commercial aviation is dependent on a route from coast to coast. The most difficult stretches of country are being surveyed first and the survey of the rough country between Winnipeg and Sudbury is almost completed.

"When we have covered the mountain passes and found adequate landing stages, then the coast to coast route will be practically complete and within a year's time we should have a regular coast to coast passenger service," he declared.

COMMUNICATION

Seemly discussion of matters of public interest is invited under the above heading. As an earnest of good faith and to insure publication, all communications to the editor must be signed by the contributor (nom de plume signature for publication if so desired). The editor of The Times is not responsible for opinions expressed or statements made under above heading; neither does he necessarily endorse or condemn such opinions or statements.

Macleod, Alta., Aug. 9th, 1920.
Editor of teh Macleod Times.

Dear Sir:

Will you kindly allow me space in your valuable paper to draw attention to a much-felt want by the younger generation of Macleod.

For several years the boys and girls of Macleod have gone in to quite an extent for bathing and swimming. During the early summer season there are swimming holes across the river but later in the year these become too shallow, and the river is the only place left. There is a good swimming hole just below the Customs House, but there is absolutely no accommodation for the purposes of dressing and undressing. The boys are obliged to undress right on the river bank, and this makes it very awkward for any girls wishing to go in bathing. Mr. Murison has very kindly allowed the girls the use of a shed in his yard, but even this is

some distance from the water. A very few dollars would suffice to build two bathing boxes, on the river bank, one for the girls and one for the boys. Even the cheapest form of construction would serve the purpose. We would like to suggest that the members of the Finance Committee or the Local Council of Women would look into this matter and see if something cannot be done to provide means for some healthful amusement for the boys and girls of Macleod.

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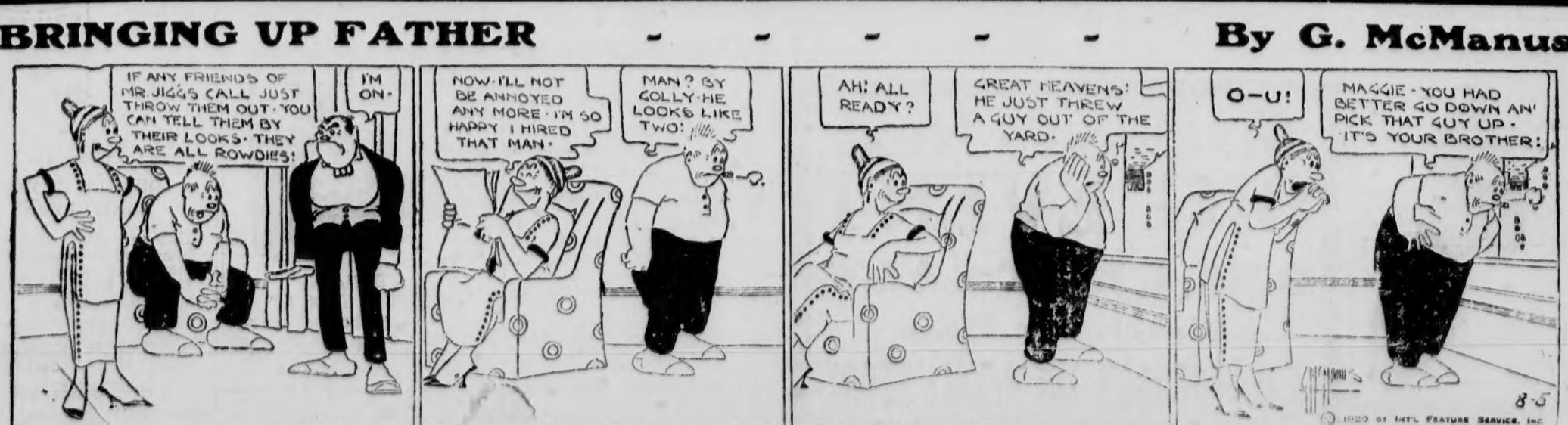
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BRINGING UP FATHER



SMALLER FARMS AND BETTER CULTIVATED

It is often offered as an argument in favor of irrigation that it will get rid of the big farms and enable small farms, intensively cultivated, to be operated with profit.

It has never been suggested that Ontario was a province of large farms down to even smaller size, as the average size. We now find arguments being advanced for cutting the farms down to even smaller size. As for instance the following from the Renfrew Mercury published in a purely agricultural district:

"It is a well known fact that the farms of Canada do not produce up to their capacity. The average yield per acre in this country is the lowest on the American continent. European countries lead Canada, too, in this

regard. Belgium, for example, before the war supported a population from its own home products ten times square mile. In Belgium small farms and intensive cultivation explain the situation. There must be some other explanation than those so frequently quoted for the trend of population from country districts to towns and cities. One reason is that too much capital is required to successfully carry on the business of farming. The farms are too large. Let a man purchase a modern farm in Ontario with a small payment down and he will be obliged to make it produce to its capacity in order to meet his payments. This is impossible under present labor conditions. If the farms of Ontario were smaller, say tracts of 50 to 25 acres, more people would be able and willing to invest in land, and all the necessary work would be

performed by home labor. Best of all the country districts would become more thickly settled by a prosperous and contented people. The true community spirit could be cultivated. The farmer has reason to complain as to the system of taxation by which he is penalized by the assessor for making improvements in the appearance of his property. There are improved farms in Ontario today that the owners would find it next to impossible to sell except to some city man of wealth who wished to take up agriculture as a fad. The taxes on the property are so high that no bona fide farmer could hope to pay for the land and at the same time carry the burden of taxation."

The viewpoints contained in the above will certainly interest the advocates of the smaller sized farms in the irrigated sections of Alberta. Of

course with our dry land areas, a half section is none too large, if the farm is to be cropped on a rotation basis.

LOST ALL NIGHT ON THE KASLO MOUNTAIN

NELSON, B.C.—After being lost a night and a day on the summit of Kaslo mountain, including the night of the worst thunderstorm of the season, Rev. Robert Hughes, Methodist pastor at Kaslo, was found by searching Friday night on Campbell creek, in a state of prostration, according to word brought down from Kaslo. The minister had gone out mountain climbing with 50 boys and girls and remaining behind with some weaker ones, later insisted on completing the trip to the summit by himself, after the main party had come down. He recovered under the ministrations of the rescue party.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS

TORONTO, Aug. 1.—Denying that the Ontario branch of the Dominion alliance was in any way responsible for the postponement of the date on which the referendum on liquor importation is to be taken in this province, and declaring that the announcement of the postponement came as a surprise, Rev. Ben Spence secretary of the Ontario branch of the alliance, issued a statement tonight explaining the matter from the alliance's standpoint. Mr. Spence states that the protest of the alliance against the taking of the referendum on the old voters lists was made in June, while parliament was still in session and when there was time for new lists to be prepared for use on October 25, the date on which the alliance, as well as other temperance foes, had believed the election would take place.

"The government, after turning down our representations of last June," Mr. Spence said, "should not now use them to justify the delaying the vote. Nothing could be further from our wishes."

Mr. Spence states that fully 100,000 Canadian citizens would have been disfranchised by use of the old lists without revision. In this he includes 25,000 returned soldiers.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 4.—"Supply, demand and competition prevent profiteering in Canada," Capt. W. White, chief commissioner of the board of commerce, Ottawa, stated today.

Co-operation would do away with misunderstandings and remove antagonism to the board of commerce and board of trade, said Capt. White.

The chief commissioner and commissioner F. A. Acland and G. A. Dillon, are visiting the cities of the west to investigate such cases as may be presented to them in which profiteering is suspected and also to get into touch with trade generally and to establish co-operation with retail merchants' associations, Canadian Manufacturers' association and United Farmers' associations in the various cities of the western provinces.

The board will leave tonight for Regina.

GEORGE PEARSON REPORTS HIS CROP GOOD

George Pearson, of Macleod, who conducts extensive farming operations at Stand Off, 22 miles south, was in from the farm today in connection with the purchase of two new Massey-Harris binders with which to cut this season's crop. Mr. Pearson has some 300 acres of wheat which at a conservative estimate will yield 25 bushels per acre, and he says crops generally in his district are excellent.

Alex McDonald and Curran Grier were visitors to Calgary on Monday in connection with Mr. Grier's purchase of a Case Separator.

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County Fair at Punkin Center, Cal Stewart (Uncle Josh) and Jim Lawson's Hogs, Cal Stewart (Uncle Josh). R4017, \$1.00
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(Continued from Page Two)

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G. R. Johnston—Farmer winning most prizes in poultry—Mrs. Blunden. P. Burns & Co.—Pen, 3 Crate-Fed Spring Chickens—1, Mrs. Butchart; 2 Mrs. Butchart.

Grains and Grasses Bushel Marquis Wheat—1, D. Macintosh.

Sheaf Spring Wheat—1, Albert Weaver; 2, Joseph Ferdias.

Sheaf Fall Wheat—1, Chris Hilliard; 2, Wm. Perrin.

Sheaf Oats—1, Albert Weaver; 2, R. G. Alexander.

Sheaf 6-row Barley—1 and 2, Jos. Ferdias.

Sheaf Fall Rye—1, Jos. Horner; 2, Wm. Perrin.

Collection of grain in sheaves—1, Jos. Harner; 2, H. B. Maunsell.

Special, Flouring Mills, Ltd.—1, J. Ferdias; 2, Wm. Perrin; 3, J. Horner.

Sheaf Timothy—1, H. B. Maunsell; 2, D. Macintosh.

Sheaf Barley—1, H. B. Maunsell; 2, Jos. Horner.

Sheaf Red Clover—1, H. B. Maunsell.

Sheaf Fodder Corn—1, H. B. Maunsell; 2, Jos. Horner.

Sheaf Alfalfa—H. B. Maunsell; 2, J. Leenwick.

Sheaf Rye Grass—1, H. B. Maunsell.

Exhibit Tamed Grasses—1, H. B. Maunsell; 2, D. Macintosh.

Vegetables Early Potatoes—1, H. B. Maunsell; 2, D. Macintosh; 3, H. B. Maunsell.

Late Potatoes—1, H. B. Maunsell.

White Turnips—1, H. B. Maunsell.

White Turnips—1, D. Macintosh; 2, H. B. Maunsell.

Mangold Wurtzels—H. B. Maunsell.

Carrots, Red—H. B. Maunsell.

Carrots, White—H. B. Maunsell.

Parsnips—H. B. Maunsell.

Corn, Table—1, J. A. Hewson; 2, H. B. Maunsell; 3, John Baden.

Beets—H. B. Maunsell.

Onions, Yellow—1, H. B. Maunsell.

Onions, Red—H. B. Maunsell.

Onions, White—H. B. Maunsell.

Onion Sets—H. B. Maunsell.

Onions, Pickling—H. B. Maunsell.

Cabbage, Early—H. B. Maunsell.

Cabbage, Late—H. B. Maunsell.

Cauliflower—H. B. Maunsell.

Green Peas in pod—1, J. A. Hewson; 2, H. B. Maunsell.

Peas, shelled—H. B. Maunsell.

Butter Beans in pod—H. B. Maunsell.

Green Beans in pod—H. B. Maunsell.

Lettuce—H. B. Maunsell.

Rhubarb—H. B. Maunsell.

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Raddish, Summer—H. B. Maunsell.

Raddish, Winter—1, Jos. Horner; 2, H. B. Maunsell.

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Collection Herbs—1, H. B. Maunsell; 2, Mrs. Tripp.

Collection Vegetables—1, H. B. Maunsell.

Special, Imperial Oil Co., for Best Exhibit Potatoes—H. B. Maunsell.

Special, J. W. McDonald, K.C., to Farmer winning most prizes in vegetables—H. B. Maunsell.

Plants and Flowers Collection of Plants in Pots—1, Mrs. Tripp; 2, Mrs. J. M. McLean; 3, Geo. Rowley.

Collection Sweet Peas—1, R. Cunningham; 2, Mrs. Tripp; 3, Mrs. Wesley Shield.

Collection Cut Flowers—1, Mrs. Wesley Shield; 2, A. Young; 3, Geo. Rowley.

“CROSS” Germans. He said this is what he had undertaken to attack Great Britain two months after the Germans offensive, of which it had been formed.

Treason of the Leaders

“It was in the same year,” he went on, “we discovered documents in the pockets of men who are now leaders of south and west Ireland, showing there was an arrangement between them and the Germans to attack

Bouquet Everlastings—1 and 2, Geo. Rowley.

Special, by Dr. Kennedy, Collection Sweet Peas—R. Cunningham.

Special, Lawn and Flower Garden, by Mayor Fawcett and Dr. Kirk—1, Mrs. W. Shield; 2, R. Cunningham.

Dairy Produce Crock Cured Butter—1, Mrs. Hammersley; 2, Mrs. Blunden.

3 lbs. Print Fresh Butter—1, Mrs. Hammersley; 2, Mrs. Tilbe.

Butter made up for the table—1, Mrs. Tilbe.

Eggs, white—1, Mrs. B. Stephens; 2, Mrs. P. Chugg.

Eggs, brown—1, Mrs. Hammersley; 2 Mrs. Blunden.

Domestic Products

Bread, white—1, Mrs. C. Rigden; 2, Mrs. A. Watson; 3, Mrs. A. Scheer.

Bread, brown—1, Mrs. A. Watson; 2, Mrs. J. P. Rankin.

Nut Bread—1, Mrs. A. Watson; 2, Mrs. R. J. E. Gardiner.

Buns—1, Mrs. H. Bell; 2, Mrs. B. Stephens.

Biscuits—1, Mrs. Blunden; 2, Mrs. Adams.

Cookies—1, Mrs. Rigden; 2, Mrs. C. Butcher.

Fruit Cake, dark—1, Mrs. Stephens; 2, Mrs. Blunden.

Fruit Cake, light—1, Mrs. Hammersley; 2, Mrs. Rankin.

Shortbread—1, Mrs. Butcher; 2, Mrs. Gardiner.

Oat Cakes—1, Mrs. Watson; 2, Mrs. Gardiner.

Scotch Scones—1, Mrs. Watson; 2, Mrs. Blakely.

Layer Cake—1, Mrs. Rigden; 2, Mrs. Scheer.

Apple Pie—1, Mrs. Rankin; 2, Mrs. Rigden.

Lemon Pie—1, Mrs. Rigden; 2, Mrs. Scheer.

Collection Small Cakes—1, Mrs. Adams; 2, Mrs. Gardiner.

For Girls under 16 years

Layer Cake—Dorothy Macintosh.

Special, by Macleod Flouring Mills, Bread made from Pantry Queen Flour

—1, Mrs. A. D. Ferguson; 2, Mrs. Blakely; 3, Mrs. Watson.

Special by Macleod Flouring Mills

to exhibitor gaining most prizes in baking—1, Mrs. Watson; 2, Mrs. Rigden.

Special by Jerry Paisley, Collection

Baking by wife of member U.F.A.—

Mrs. F. A. Adams.

Special by A. T. Leather, for Iced

Fruit Cake—Mrs. Hammersley.

Fresh Red Currants—1, Mrs. Tripp; 2, Mrs. W. H. Shield.

Fresh White Currants—1, Mrs. W. H. Shield; 2, H. B. Maunsell.

Fresh Gooseberries—1, Mrs. W. H. Shield.

Fresh Berries A.O.V.—1, H. B. Maunsell.

Collection of grain in sheaves—1, Mrs. T. H. Stedman.

Home Made Soap—1, Mrs. Stephens.

Ladies' Work—Embroideries

Modern Cross Stitch—1, Mrs. Steel,

Pincher Creek.

Punch Work—1, Mrs. Steel; 2, Mrs. Steel.

Hardinger—1, Mrs. A. D. Ferguson.

Pair Towels—1, Mrs. J. T. Doney; 2, Mrs. J. P. Rankin.

Pair Pillow Cases—1, Mrs. Doney; 2, Mrs. Stedman.

Pair Day Pillow Cases—1, Mrs. Doney; 2, Mrs. Stedman.

Pair Nightgown—1, Mrs. Doney.

Centre Piece in white—1, Mrs. Doney; 2, Mrs. Stedman.

Centre Piece, in colors—1, Mrs. Doney; 2, Mrs. Stedman.

Tray Cloth, eyelet and solid—1, Mrs. Doney; 2, Mrs. Stedman.

Tray Cloth, eyelet and solid—1, Mrs. Doney; 2, Mrs. Stedman.

Table Cloth, eyelet and solid—1, Mrs. Doney; 2, Mrs. Stedman.

Table Napkins—1, Mrs. Stedman; 2, Mrs. Doney.

Sideboard Scarf—1, Mrs. Doney; 2, Mrs. Stedman.

Dresser Scarf—1, Mrs. Stedman.

Pin Cushion—1, Mrs. Stedman.

Ten Cosy—1, Mrs. Doney; 2, Mrs. A. D. Ferguson.

Corset Cover—1, Mrs. Doney.

Night Gown—1, Miss McHattie.

Underwear, 3 pieces—1, Miss McHattie.

Combinations—1, Mrs. Steel; 2, Mrs. Stedman.

Camisole—1, Mrs. A. D. Ferguson.

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**COMPLETE PRIZE LIST
OF THE MACLEOD FAIR**

(Continued from Page Six)

1, George Scheer; 2, Wm. Townsend; 3, Richard Armer; 4, Irene McCausland.

Map of Alberta, Grades 6 to 8—1, Kathern Faulkes; 2, Stanley Rands; 3, Albert Webb; 4, Richard Armer.

Penmanship, Grades 5 and 6—1, Anna Tschelter; 2, Durward Mills; 3, Bernard Noel; 4, Sarah Walter; 5, Winifred Reach; 6, Jacob Walter.

Picture Poster, Grades 7 and 8—1, Lizzie Watson; 2, Annie McDonald; 3, Loretta Wall; 4, Bernard Noel.

Group of fruits in pastel or water colors, Grades 1, 2 and 3—1, May Grier; 2, Geraldine Stewart; 3, Hope Dillingham; 4, Grace McKinnon; 5, Willie Hart.

Color Drawings, Grades 4, 5 and 6—1, Erva Barr; 2, Margaret McLean; 3, Bernard Noel; 4, Marjorie Armer; 5, Grace Bender; 6, John Watson; 7, Winifred Reach; 8, Eddie Jorgenson; 9, Jenny Barr; 10, Ralph Townsend.

Pencil Sketch, Grades 7 and 8—1, Loretta Wall; 2, Charles Reach.

Cardboard Construction, Grades 1 to 3—1, Willis Powell; 2, Eileen McNeil.

Collection Manual Training—1, Ardenville school.

Letter applying for Position—1, Erma Walker; 2, George Scheer; 3, Agnes Alsgard; 4, Lizzie Watson; 5, Jean Rothney; 6, John Tschelter.

Collection of Drawings Mounted—1, Loretta Wall; 2, Flora Sorge; 3, Alice Atkins; 4, Margaret Dougall,

5, Kathern Faulkes; 6, Margaret Brewster.

Exercise Book, Grades 1 and 2—1, Francis Beattie; 2, Harold Young; 3, Pearl Gautier; 4, Edith Pollard; 5, Alberta Bell; 6, Cissy Warren.

Exercise Book, Grades 3 and 4—1, Dick Butcher; 2, Ethel Alsgard; 3, Bertha Noel; 4, Mabel Perkins; 5, Marjorie Townsend.

Penmanship, Grades 5 and 6—1, Agnes Alsgard; 2, Enola Knutson; 3, Isabel Hodgin; 4, Mildred Wood; 5, Hattie Violette; 6, John Watson.

Penmanship, Grades 7 and 8—1, Giventh Gilmour; 2, Mary Hilliard; 3, Kathern Faulkes; 4, Michael Tschelter; 5, Geraldine Gilmour; 6, Dorothy Embury.

**MUNICIPAL INTEREST
IN STREET TREES**

As Canadian towns and cities increase in size and civic ambition, the need for progressive policy with respect to street trees becomes more and more pressing. In the earlier stages of development, the planting and care of shade trees along streets and highways has almost always been a matter of individual action and initiative.

There is, however, an increasing tendency on the part of public-spirited citizens and organizations to regard the providing of shade on city streets as much a municipal enterprise as providing sidewalks or street lights. The result is a steady movement toward assumption by the city or municipality of the responsibility for a uniform policy respecting street trees.

This often takes form through the appointment of an honorary commis-

sion, with a paid executive officer known as the city arborist or, less appropriately, city forester. The latter official should, of course, be a thoroughly trained and experienced man, familiar with the merits and disadvantages of the various shade tree species, and with the best methods of tree planting and culture, pruning, tree surgery, and the prevention of injury by insects, fungi, animals and other natural enemies.

The lack of such a policy and the need for its adoption are evident in most of our towns and cities. Among the evidences are absence of shade trees on some of the residential streets, the planting of too many different species on others, planting of undesirable species, too close spacing of trees, improper pruning, damage by horses for lack of tree guards, damage by insects for lack of spraying, excessive damage by decay for lack of tree surgery, damage by pavements to trees and by trees to pavements, etc. All these points should receive intelligent consideration in any comprehensive programme relating to city or municipal street trees.

It is obvious, however, that the official who should have the active direction of this work must, if the desired results are to be secured, be not only a trained specialist but a thoroughly practical man as well. The ordinary "tree trimmer," while perhaps very competent in his own particular line, can by no means comply with all the specifications required for the position of city arborist. Some of the educational institutions, particularly in the United States, make a specialty of training men for this class of work, and many of the cities in that country are availing themselves of the services of these specialists.

In addition to the unquestionably great value of street trees from the viewpoint of beautifying the city, there is no doubt but that they also contribute appreciably toward the health of the community by transpiring moisture into the atmosphere and by producing a restful effect on the eyes and nerves.

As cities grow in population, conditions become more and more unfavorable to the growth of street trees, and it becomes increasingly difficult for the individual to secure successful results, to say nothing of the certain lack of uniformity where reliance is placed upon individual initiative.

The modern way is for this matter to be handled as a city or municipal enterprise, under the immediate direction of a thoroughly trained and experienced specialist.

Some of our western cities have shown commendable foresight in their street policies. In addition to keeping sidewalks and roadways in good condition, the boulevards are made the grass kept cut and watered, and shade trees planted and taken care of. The result is a uniformity and harmony in the appearance of the street, the trees are kept in good order, and are well protected by the municipality. Under such conditions, the public take a just pride in the appearance of their streets, and are also influenced in keeping adjoining property in like condition.—Clyde Leavitt.

**DOCTORS TO VOTE ON
LIQUOR PRESCRIPTIONS**

"Are you in favor of the liquor act as it is at present?"

"Are you in favor of taking away from the doctors the privilege of prescribing liquor?"

"Are you in favor of the reduction of the amount to be prescribed to 8 ounces or to any other amount?"

"Are you in favor of reducing the number of prescriptions per month to 50, 75 or 100?"

A plebiscite of all medical men in the province to obtain answers to the above four questions, has been proposed by prominent members of the profession. If a certain fixed proportion of the doctors should sign a petition asking for the plebiscite it will be the duty of the executive of the Alberta Medical association to submit it and if any of the questions should be answered affirmatively by two-thirds of the doctors in practice in the province the decision will be taken as a rule of professional conduct. The taking of the plebiscite and the acceptance of its decision upon any question affecting the profession are provided for in the constitution of the medical association. According to information received by the Albertan no definite action has as yet been determined upon and whether the plebiscite shall be taken not depends entirely upon the strength of the support which may be given to the petition which it has been proposed to circulate.

Plebiscite on Fees

The proposal to send out questionnaires to members of the profession extend to other matters besides the prescription question. It is proposed to ascertain the opinion of members of the association on the schedule of fees authorized by the Workmen's Compensation board. Doctors will be asked whether they consider these fees fair and not, to what extent the fees should be increased. They will be asked whether they approve of the schedule, either as it is at present or as it might become on an increase of fees being provided for.

It is also proposed to take a plebiscite to ascertain whether members favor the contribution of a sum not exceeding \$1000 annually for a medical library to be operated by the extension department of the University of Alberta and to be free to all members of the medical profession.

All of these proposed plebiscites are

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subject to the condition that petitions containing a sufficiently large number of signatures are presented to the executive. In medical circles in the city widespread interest has been aroused by the proposals, and similarly in other parts of the province. Whether action will be taken the next few weeks will disclose. A two-thirds majority will be required in each and every case to make the decisions binding in a professional sense upon the medical men practising in Alberta.

Morning Albertan.

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George I. Isaccson, general secretary of the Society of Operative Printers of Great Britain, speaking at a luncheon given the imperial press conference in the executive chamber of the New Brunswick house of parliament in Fredericton yesterday, said that the British Empire was more than a league of nations; it was a league of kinsmen, and that therein lay its power.

"In England," said Mr. Isaccson, "we are too much prone to put our democracy on a pedestal with a glass over it and kneel down and worship it. In

Canada you take your democracy out on the step and have a chat with it. That is the spirit which must be followed everywhere if we are to keep the democracy your boys and ours fought and died to win. People in high places must walk with people in low places."

Mr. Isaccson forecasted a revolution in Great Britain, but he said it would be a bloodless revolution, in which the shots would be those of the polling booth. R. A. Anderson, a Scottish-American for many years, now editor of the Irish Homestead, Sir Horace Plunkett's newspaper, stated that Irishmen of moderate views were

endeavoring to build up a body of public opinion which would refuse to bring either politics or religion into their discussions, and whose aim would be to make Ireland a prosperous and useful part of the British Empire.

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J. W. Morensh is holidaying in the vicinity of Nelson, B.C.

C. W. McKinnon left Monday for a holiday in British Columbia.

The speed limit of automobiles in Japan is from 20 to 30 miles an hour.

C. R. Hill, teller at the Bank of Commerce, has returned from his holidays.

Mrs. F. Morris left on Monday for a short holiday visit to friends in British Columbia.

W. Forsyth, teller in the Bank of Montreal, left on Saturday to spend his holidays in Banff.

E. W. Demer and family left on Saturday for Vernon and other points in British Columbia.

L. R. Barnett, manager of the Hudson's Bay Company, is spending a two weeks holiday at the coast.

Mud Lake folks are just tickled to think that the first prize for wheat and oats went out to their district.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Lantinga motored to Banff for a few day's holiday last week, returning on Wednesday last.

Up to the present time Benson and Greenhouse have paid out \$4100 for dry bones gathered up in the prairie around Macleod.

We cannot help it, this is too good to miss, the prize winner at the fair for making Scotch shortbread was an English lady.

W. E. Cotton, of the Union Bank Staff at Barons, is in Macleod spending his holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Cotton.

Mrs. Robt. Jackson, of Allenfield, and two children, were in town for the week-end, visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Forster.

Rev. Father Osborne left on Monday morning for Calgary to attend a retreat now being held in that city. He will return on Saturday evening.

The Missionary Society of the Methodist Church has voted the sum of \$10,000 to be spent in erecting an institutional church in Bellevue, in the Crow's Nest Pass.

Miss Helen Matheson, of Baddeck, Cape Breton, has arrived in Macleod on her way to Mud Lake where she has been appointed school teacher for the coming term.

R. G. Alexander of Hazlemere started in with two binders to cut wheat and oats on Monday morning. Cutting will be pretty general in this district by the end of the week.

R. J. and Mrs. Fleming, of Phippen, Sask., arrived in Macleod on Sunday at the end of a 450 mile motor trip to visit Mrs. Fleming's brother, W. T. Fleming on 20th St. They came via Saskatoon, Sask., Empress and Medicine Hat.

Notice is hereby given to all concerned that ex-members of the Canadian Expeditionary Force who are entitled to and who require post-discharge dental treatment, must submit their applications to the District Dental Officer at the Headquarters of the district in which they reside, on or before the 1st September, 1920. Applications for dental treatment received after 1st September, 1920 will not be considered.

Mr. and Mrs. John Daley, of Willow Creek are entertaining a party of distinguished visitors from the United States. The party consists of Mr. A. E. Dean, who is Mrs. Daley's brother, and Mrs. Dean, of Chicago, W. R. Lamb of Milwaukee, and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Kennedy of Georgetown, South America. Mr. Dean is curator of the chemical department in the Armour Institute, Chicago, and is a graduate of Queen's University of Kingston, Ont., and Mr. Lamb is chief chemist at the Globe Seamless Steel Tube Co. at Milwaukee.

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